

# The Paducah Sun.

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## BLIZZARD'S GRASP QUITE A SNOW STORM

Zero Weather and Worst Reported in Many Cities.

In North Dakota the Temperature Is 43 Degrees Below Zero—Snow in Chicago.

### LATE NEWS BY TELEGRAPH

#### GRASP OF THE BLIZZARD.

Chicago, Feb. 16—Seven inches of snow fell here today and the blizzard has crippled the railroads in various parts of the country. In Wisconsin, the temperature dropped to 23 degrees below zero. At Omaha 10 degrees below is reported. The blizzard struck Kentucky causing much discomfort and annoyance.

#### INTERFERES WITH SCHEDULES

Louisville, Feb. 16—The blizzard which struck Louisville, is playing havoc here with railroad schedules. A cold wave is due tonight.

#### OPENS HIS CAMPAIGN.

Louisville, Feb. 16—Hon. John K. Hennerick will formally open his campaign for governor to a speech at Georgetown this afternoon.

#### THE NEW CABINET OFFICER.

Washington, Feb. 16—The president today sent the Senate the name of George H. Cortelyou, to be secretary of commerce and labor, the new cabinet office.

#### NO SUNDAY BASEBALL.

Indianapolis, Feb. 16—The Indiana Senate has killed the bill to permit Sunday baseball playing, in that state.

#### COLDEST PLACE YET.

Chicago, Feb. 16—Williston, N.D., is now the coldest spot in the United States, the temperature there being 43 degrees below zero.

#### SNOW IN TEXAS.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 16—The snow in Northern Texas is a foot deep.

#### IS POSTPONED

#### CAMP FIRE WILL BE GIVEN THURSDAY NIGHT.

The "camp fire" which was to have been given by the Wheeler Guards at the armory building tonight, has been postponed until Thursday night, on account of the weather.

Captain James Caldwell arranged entertainment and had sent out a number of invitations to outsiders who will today be notified of the change of date. It is the intention of Captain Caldwell to make this one of the most enjoyable events since the organization of the company here.

He intends to have a regular camp fire with camping outfit and cooking utensils such as are used in the army. All the food will be cooked as it is in the army and served on army plates. All the members of the company will be present and about 25 outsiders, the total attendance amounting to about 75.

Congressman Wheeler, in whose honor the affair is to be given, will doubtless respond to a toast.

Mr. Ernest E. Reid of Clinton was in the city yesterday.

#### THE MARKETS.

PUBLISHED BY ARNOLD & GILBERT OF THE PADUCAH COMMISSION CO.

OPEN HIGH CLOSE

Wheat—

January..... 21 76 21

July..... 24 71 24

Corn—

January..... 43 43 43

July..... 43 43 43

Oats—

January..... 31 36 36

July..... 33 33 33

Pork—

January..... 17 20 17 20

July..... 16 05 12 05

Lard—

January..... 9 57 9 57

July..... 9 57 9 57

Meat—

January..... 9 40 9 40

July..... 9 27 9 27

Stocks—

L. & N..... 127 127 127

I. C..... 115 146 146

U. S. S. P..... 851 851 851

C. & S. C..... 381 381 381

M. P..... 1114 1114 1114

## MR. PEARSON, MISS NORVELL LEAD

## The Sixth Week Of The Sun's Contest Ends.

## A HEAVY VOTE POLLED TO-DAY.

The vote today was a very heavy one, and takes the totals for the leaders near the 10,000 mark in the men's contest and passes over the line in the ladies' contest.

Mr. Pearson still leads in the men's contest and Miss Norvell in the ladies' and are entitled to the cash prizes of one dollar given to the leaders every Monday.

The contest is growing in interest every day, and will continue to do so. It ends March 9, so there is ample time for many changes in the standing of the contestants.

Remember to vote for your favorite. A subscription in advance entitles you to as many votes as possible as described.

The vote is as follows:

Ed Pearson	8241
Charles Bundy	8204
Charles Holliday	7497
B. H. Pyle	5307
T. W. Baird	1965

Henry Woerner	856
J. J. Freudlitch	704
W. T. Kirkpatrick	578
Pete Smith	81
Young Taylor	83
George Hannan	69

LADIES' CONTEST.

Miss Lillie Norvell

Mrs. Dr. Duley

THE PRIZES.

First prize—\$100 in gold. Second prize—\$50 in gold. Third prize—\$20. Fourth prize—\$7.50. Fifth prize—\$3.00. Next four—\$1 each.

In the most popular lady contest the prizes are:

First prize—Transportation to Colorado and return at any time during this year. Second prize—Transportation to either Chicago or New Orleans and return at any time in this year.

I VOTE FOR \_\_\_\_\_  
OF \_\_\_\_\_  
As Most Popular \_\_\_\_\_ Officer in Paducah  
Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Monday, February 16

I VOTE FOR \_\_\_\_\_  
As the most popular lady in Paducah  
Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Monday, February 16

#### TWO ATTEMPTS.

BOTH FEMALES WERE SAVED, HOWEVER.

Anita Carroll, about 20 years old, took morphine at her home on Jones street near Eleventh Saturday night and came near dying before found. A love affair is supposed to have prompted the act. Drs. Robertson and Hoyer were called and she was soon out of danger.

Mag Treadwell, another young woman took tea grains of morphine at the Red Fox saloon Saturday night, but was also saved by the two doctors mentioned above.

#### CONDUCTOR BURN.

POPULAR MAN BROUGHT TO PADUCAH TODAY.

W. D. Thompson, the well known I. C. conductor, slipped up on the platform at Mayfield last night and dislocated a hip. He was taken from the train at that station and cared for until passenger train No. 104, east-bound, came by. On account of the washout he was not gotten to Paducah until 1 o'clock this afternoon. The hip was set at the railroad hospital this afternoon. Conductor Beallion took his train from Mayfield and finished the run.

## OLD CITIZEN GONE A WASHOUT AT BOAZ

Capt. E. B. Davidson a Victim of Pneumonia. No Illinois Central Trains Passed for Over 12 Hours.

Served With Distinction on the Union Side in the Twenty-First Kentucky.

#### FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON TRACK IS NOW REPAIRED

Captain E. B. Davidson, a veteran soldier and Knight of Honor, died Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the ripe old age of 74 at his home on South Eighth street of pneumonia after an illness of several weeks.

The deceased was born in Richmond, Va., on November 28, 1839, and moved to Paris, Ky., in 1855. Several years later he removed to Louisville and while residing there during the Civil war enlisted as captain in the Twenty-first Infantry, in which capacity he served with credit for over four years.

He was a charter member of the Louisville Lodge of Knights of Honor and was a leading worker in the local lodge up to the time of his death.

In 1874 Captain Davidson moved to McCracken county near Woodville and later moved to Hinkleville, Ballard county, from where he moved to Paducah in 1884. He engaged in the livery business here where the Terrell stables now are in the early part of his residence, but later took to the vocation of plastering contracting.

He leaves a wife and four sons, Messrs. Harry and Frank Davidson of Louisville and Cheek and Ed Davidson of Paducah. He leaves three daughters, Misses E. B. and Flora Davidson and Mrs. Cora Hargrove. Miss Flora Davidson is a teacher in the public schools here.

The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock under the auspices of the Knights of Honor, of which he was an officer at the time of death. Rev. G. W. Perryman of the First Baptist church officiated, burial at Oak Grove.

## BASEBALL MATTERS

Regular Season Will Probably Open June 1st.

The Paducah Club Will Be Playing By May 1, However.

Matters pertaining to baseball are fast getting into shape here and within the next week the lids for the work on the grandstand and bleachers will be opened and the contract awarded.

The estimates have been completed by Architect Braider and placed in the hands of the contractors who are making out bids. Already several bids are known and the grand stand will be an expensive one, costing somewhere in the neighborhood of \$1,000. One improvement that will be put in is a turnstile, which will register every man who goes into the park. In this way a perfect count of the attendance can be had. Paducah will be furnished the best quality of baseball sport and will no doubt respond with a liberal patronage.

As to the opening of the season, one member of the association said this morning: "We think that the league opening will be made about June 1 and maybe sooner, but the Paducah team will be playing by May 1. We intend to travel around and get in shape by playing inferior city teams."

#### MAX REGIS FIGHTS TWO DUELS

Paris, Feb. 16—Max Regis, the former mayor of Algiers and anti-Semitic leader, took part in two duels and will figure in two more. The first was fought with swords, his adversary being M. Le Basdaqueris. It grew out of a private controversy. In the second encounter pistols were used, and M. Regis exchanged shots with Jacques Landa. Newspaper criticisms were responsible for this quarrel.

Mr. H. H. Strow of Benton was in the city today.

CROWD SCOOLED  
THE COLD WEATHER DID NOT MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE WITH THEM.

Sheriff Potter's office was a very pleasant place this morning, with its glowing fire and happy crowd—that is it was until a thoughtful man came in and announced that he had just been discharged as a smallpox patient, and was very glad to get out. So were the officers and their friends and they did it with all possible haste.

Justice Barber who occupies the rear office seeing that he was shut off from a front door exit by the presence of the man, started for the back door and saw Constable Pattou come in the front door at the same time.

He made a motion to the constable to get the man out, but the constable, thinking that the justice was merely issuing papers he did not want the stranger to see, concluded that it would do as well to keep him in the front office, and he did so, entertaining him in the meantime.

When the stranger warmed and left, the situation was explained to the constable, who has since been investigating in various kinds of disinfectants.

#### GALLATIN GOES DRY WITH A WHOOP.

Gallatin, Tenn., Feb. 16—An election was held here Saturday for the purpose of deciding the whiskey question, in which the anti-saloon element won by a vote of 165 to 23. The above result was received with enthusiasm, all the town bells and whistles joining in the great applause.

## The Price is Done Went Till She Kudn't Went No Wenter

## When Hart Kuts

he kuts, he do, he's the kuttinest kutter U ever sawed kut. Every one of them there's beautifulest

## Khrismus Kut Glass

and China things and the rest of them trix is

## KUT TO KOST.

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# Showing Age.

Some people begin to show age before the meridian of life is reached, or they have lived out half their days. They are prematurely gray, haggard and sickly, and seldom free from ache or pain of some description.

Cold feet, chilly sensations, stiffness in muscles and joints, weak stomach and poor digestion, lack of energy, and drowsiness, nervousness, etc., show that old age has been reached ahead of time. Bad blood and weak circulation more often produce these miserable feelings and signs of decay than anything else.

An inherited taint or poison of some description is at work in the system, causing stagnation and a general unhealthy condition of the blood; and this, and not the weight of years, is dragging you down to an untimely old age and making life a protracted torture.

For purifying the blood and toning up the circulation nothing is equal to S. S. S. It removes from the system all the waste matter that has been accumulating for years, and makes the blood rich and pure, stimulates the appetite and digestion, and invigorates the entire body.

S. S. S. is a purely vegetable remedy, and the best purifier and tonic for old people, and those who are beginning to show age because of the run down condition of the blood. With rich, pure blood there is no reason why old people should not retain the happy disposition and buoyant spirits of youth.

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## FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

Americans Commemorate Destruction of the Maine.

The Wreck Covered With Flowers—Impressive Services on Water Front.

### THE CUBANS ASSISTED

Havana, Feb. 16—Flags and flowers covered the nakedness of the Maine wreck in the harbor yesterday and a celebration of the fifth anniversary of the fearful tragedy of 1898 was held by the American residents.

In this they were joined cordially by the Cubans in Havana, President Palma having accepted an invitation to be present, while the entire Cuban government took part in the exercises arranged.

Every year since the Maine was sent to the bottom of Havana harbor have the American residents in Havana arranged some sort of a formal celebration. There was a procession through the streets early Sunday morning and memorial services in the cathedral. In the afternoon a committee of American residents held more extended memorial services at the water front.

The old wreck was tastefully and appropriately draped with Cuban and American flags and covered with wreaths and garlands of tropical flowers. Every bit of rusty, twisted steel was hidden from sight.

The exercises conducted by the Americans at the water front consisted of memorial addresses and a prayer. The American national salute was fired from the guns in Morro.

The harbor was dotted with the quaint, half-covered boats which are the most familiar sight along the Havana water front.

Notwithstanding the many propositions to remove the wreck of the Maine it still lies in the exact spot on which it sank on the night of February 15, five years ago. A few bent and blistered fragments remain above the surface, although the body of the ship has been gradually sinking into the soft ooze of the harbor bed. The broken keel plate, that was of all other things the most damning evidence of an external explosion, still projects above the surface of the water, encrusted with seaweed and slime.

### KENTUCKY WHISKEY

#### UNUSUALLY LARGE AMOUNT MADE IN JANUARY LAST.

The monthly report of Revenue Collector Craft, which is just out, shows that more whiskey was produced in the Fifth Kentucky district during the month of January than in any month for a number of years. The distilleries barreled and entered in bond 2,515,550 gallons of pure whiskey during the month, as against about 1,600,000 gallons for the month of December. This amount is more than double the amount of whiskey entered in bond during January of 1902.

The revenue collections on whiskey for the month amounted to \$873,278.64. On the basis of \$1.10 per gallon, this means that 798,880 gallons of the article were withdrawn from bond during the month, and indicates that the amount of whiskey in bond is accumulating rapidly.

### BOARD OF COUNCILMEN

#### REGULAR MEETING TONIGHT AT THE CITY HALL.

The council meets tonight in regular session, with considerable business to transact. There will be presented a petition from merchants asking that the \$2 tax imposed on clerks be removed.

The building contractors of the city will in all probability present their petition asking that the license imposed on contractors taking work that amounts to more than \$500 on the job, be extended to all contractors instead of a few.

### SUSAN B. ANTHONY'S BIRTHDAY.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 16—Susan B. Anthony celebrated her 83d birthday Sunday. She has sent 23 volumes to the Congregational library for the Susan B. Anthony alcove of women's suffrage literature.

Messrs. Hierlert Fletcher and Silas Mitchell spent Sunday at Joppa.

## "TWENTY YEARS AGO"

### DEATH OF THE AUTHOR RECALLS FACTS OF ITS PUBLICATION.

Clinton, Ia., Feb. 16—A. J. Gault died at his home in Whetland, this county, aged 81 years. Mr. Ganit was the author of the beautiful poem, "Twenty Years Ago," which he wrote as a letter to his brother Tom, referred to in the poem, when Gault was a young man in Vermont. The brother of Gault was a wayward boy and neglected to write to the folks at home. Finally A. J. Gault decided he might reach his brother's heart by writing a tender poem. He took for his subject the scenes of the schoolhouse where they spent their boyhood days, and "Twenty Years Ago" was the letter that went to the brother in Ossego, N. Y. Every incident was founded on facts. The grapevine swing, the trees on which their names were cut, the desks their jackknives had defaced, the trout in the stream were exactly as described in the poem. The poem finally appeared in print, and soon was widely published and was printed in nearly every school reader. Its author at that time was unknown, and today, outside a small territory here, the author is still unknown. A sister residing in Kansas has the original manuscript. Gault was also the author of other poems of merit. However, his greatest effort was "Twenty Years Ago." For the past several years he has lived practically in obscurity.

### A PECCULAR PEOPLE

#### ENGLISH ARMY OFFICER DISCOVERS A NEW PEOPLE.

London, Feb. 14—Lieut. Boyd Alexander, who has just returned from the Island of Fernando Po, the island of Spala in the Bight of Biafra, Western Africa, gives an interesting description of the onrions inhabitants of the practically previously unexplored interior of the island. These are known as "Bobbies." Few of them have ever seen a white man and they never leave their primitive dwellings in the rocks except on organized drinking bouts. The race is fast dying out from the effects of rum and palm wine. The natives are mostly naked, except for a curious star bonnet. They paint their bodies with colored mud, are unspeakably filthy, for they never wash, but occasionally use a knife to scrape off the surface dirt, and create artificial deformities by tightly wrapping their limbs. The Fernando Po natives are exceedingly timid, and when sighted by the whites bolted into the depths of the jungle, where they set up fearsome wails. At certain hours each day the villages are deserted, every one, including the children, going off on a carouan.

The lieutenant adds that although he searched for them diligently he could find no traces of the burial places of the natives of the island.

### MONSTER LOCOMOTIVE.

#### CHICAGO AND ALTON ENGINE THE LARGEST EVER MADE.

The Chicago and Alton railroad has just received for use on the Kansas City through trains the largest passenger locomotive ever turned out by the Baldwin works and the largest in use on Western roads. As the western lines have larger engines than eastern roads this puts the new Alton locomotive at the head of the class of big passenger pullers.

The new locomotive's total weight is 219,500 pounds, of which 141,700 pounds is carried on the drivers. The drive wheels, six in number, are 73 and 80 inches in diameter. The boiler diameter is 70 inches and there are 325 tubes, 2½ inches in diameter and 20 feet long. The firebox is 108 inches long and 72½ inches wide, with a heating surface of 202 square feet. The total heating surface of fire box, firebox tubes and tubes is 407 square feet. The water tank has a capacity of 8400 gallons.

### LAUNDRY MEN'S STATE MEETING.

Several members of the Kentucky Laundrymen's association met at the Louisville hotel and decided to hold the next annual state meeting at Lexington the second week in May. Frank Katley John of Owensboro was the only member outside of Louisville present at the meeting.

### ARE YOU RESTLESS AT NIGHT?

And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Llorenhon Syrup, it will assure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. 25c, 50c and \$1 bottle.

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## NOW A HAPPY FAMILY

### Remarkable Change in the Cowan Household in a Few Days.

Kind Hearted People Have Supplied Them With Food, Clothes and Work.

### CREDIT TO THE CHARITABLE

The charitable people of Paducah can certainly do things right when they make the attempt. When Frank Cowan killed Warren Woodward, a neighbor, eight miles above the city three weeks ago, and had to leave his wife and seven children, they were destitute, and in a country where they had no friends to whom to turn because of the horrible deed of father and husband.

For days they struggled along with little to eat and scarcely anything to wear except rags for clothing and socks for shoes. They were nearly frozen, and their emaciated bodies eloquently bespeak their suffering.

A crowd of Paducah officers who went up after the murderer found the family in its half starved condition, and gave them enough to satisfy their immediate wants, and when they returned to the city reported the matter to Chief Collins.

The result was that the latter sent up two men to bring the boat on which the family lived to Paducah, and it was floated down and moored in Island Creek.

The ladies of Paducah as soon as it was announced that the unfortunate family was here, began sending in food, fuel and clothing until the whole family is now well supplied.

In addition three of the girls, who are almost grown, have secured work, one with City Jailer Tom Evitts, another at the Cordage factory and another at one of the South Side mills.

The family's jump from the most abject poverty to comparative comfort and prosperity was within a few days, and the relief of their suffering is a great credit to the police and charitable ladies of Paducah.

Frank Cowan, the head of the family, is still at large, wanted for murder.

### M'KINLEY ASSOCIATION.

#### \$100,000 MORE WILL BE COLLECTED FOR THE FUND.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 16—The McKinley National Memorial association has issued a statement to the effect that it has collected more than \$500,000 during the first year of its organization. The association announces that it will be necessary to collect something more than \$100,000 additional before anything will be done toward building the monument.

The trustees have decided to undertake the collection of this additional sum through the postoffice and department stores of the country by placing in their hands a supply of souvenir certificate, to be given to all contributors of \$1 or more. These certificates will ultimately go to all the contributors. In large cities, where comparatively few people visit the postoffice, these certificates will be sent to department stores for distribution, thus giving those who have not already contributed to the fund an opportunity to do so.

### MECHANICSBURG SPUR.

#### IF STREET IS WIDE ENOUGH IT MAY BE BUILT.

The joint telegraph, railroad and telephone committee of the general council decided at its adjourned meeting Saturday afternoon to have the city engineer make a survey of Myers street, and if found wide enough to allow a track to be built down it, to permit the Illinois Central to build the spur into the manufacturing district. If the street is not wide enough the track will probably be built on land ceded by the Seneca Mining company.

### MRS. ROOSEVELT NEEDS REST.

Washington, Feb. 16—Mrs. Roosevelt is so much indisposed that she has been obliged to cancel all social engagements for a time. It is understood that her condition is not serious, but she is in need of rest, and her physician has insisted that she forego temporarily all social duties. It was in consequence of the orders of her physician that she did not attend the Gaudet-Oakhill wedding.

## Cherry Pectoral

quiets tickling throats. Your doctor will explain this. He knows. Trust him. C. A. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.



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Newest, finest, and most luxuriously equipped train across the continent.

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## To Tide You Over

Those shoes bought last fall have worn out and look shabby, don't they?

Well, 'tis time to get a new pair to tide you over until spring. Easter comes the 12th of April and we will have much bad weather before then. Prepare for it.

A pair of our popular \$3.50 shoes for men and \$3.00 shoes for women are regular prizes.

Don't forget our free shines—pay for a shine and get a ticket good for 10 cents on a pair of shoes.

## LENDLER & LYDON,

The People Who Save You Money on Every Purchase.

### Burlington Route

## The Man In Charge

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month the Burlington sells homeseekers' tickets to the territory East of the Rockies at one fare plus \$2.00 round trip. On the same dates one-way settlers' tickets to the same region are sold at a trifle more than half rates.

The Burlington best reaches the corn belt, the wheat belt, the livestock areas of the Louisiana Purchase, and, in connection with the Northern Pacific and Great Northern Railroads, forms direct routes to the upper Northwest country through St. Louis or Chicago.

The generous harvest of 1902 in the West is a strong appeal to homeseekers and investors to see the rewards now being gained by farmers, stock raisers and fruit growers, not only in the regions of natural rainfall, but in the spreading irrigated districts of Eastern Colorado, Northwest Nebraska, the North Platte and Big Horn Valleys of Wyoming, also of Idaho, Montana and Washington.

Send for any of our special land publications, all free—"Nebraska," "Black Hills Mining," "North Platte Valley," "Big Horn Basin," "West Nebraska Grazing Country," "The Corn Belt," also of Minnesota, the Dakotas, or the Northwest.

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## THE SUN'S PUZZLE PICTURE.



"Do you two youngsters want to go driving?" Where are they?

## The Sun's Trade Edition

### Comments of Prominent Citizens on The Sun's Trade Edition

#### Public Appreciation of Our Enterprising Project to Advance the City of Paducah.

The publication of the Paducah Daily Sun's Trade Edition has met with universal approval from all parts of the city and surrounding country as being one of the best and most highly appreciated editions ever issued in behalf of one progressive city. The Sun went to considerable expense to make it the great success it proved to be. Some of our most prominent manufacturers and bankers expressed their opinion of the big undertaking as follows:

MR. V. J. BLOW,

The largest slate manufacturer in the world, said:

"Your Trade Edition is indeed a great credit, not only to Paducah but to Western Kentucky. I rejoice in The Sun's public spirit and enterprise."

J. W. LITTLE,

Manufacturer of spokes, said:

"The undertaking was most praiseworthy, and I congratulate you upon its highly successful issue. I hear of The Sun's Trade Review, nothing but appreciative comment."

GEO. LANGSTAFF,

Of the Langstaff-Orme Manufacturing Co.:

"The Sun exhibits the right spirit in directing popular attention to our city. An edition of this kind is what Paducah needs, and I am glad to see it so generally supported."

EDGAR W. WHITEMORE,

Paducah's leading real estate dealer:

"The Sun is certainly doing its utmost to advance Paducah to the front. The edition is creditable in every respect and is both interesting and beneficial."

JOS. L. FRIEDMAN,

Of Friedman, Koller & Co.:

"The edition deserves credit and it will attract outside capital to our city. Our city needs advertising."

H. A. ROSE,

Of the Rose Lumber Co.:

"The Sun's edition was very attractive and it will attract attention from all parts of the country. Keep up the good work."

CAPT. JOE FOWLER:

"The Trade Edition was a great success. We need all the publicity that we can get. The work will eventually bring results to Paducah. The people should be more public spirited and progressive."

M. R. RUDY,

Of the Citizens' Savings bank:

"The object of advertising a city is to get investors interested and later become residents of our city, which increases more money and business for Paducah."

PRESIDENT GEO. THOMPSON,

Of the American German National Bank:

"The newspapers can do more to help a city and can accomplish the result if they try. I feel proud of The Sun's good work. It was a handsome edition and will show what our banks are doing."

PADUCAH FURNITURE MFG CO.

Mr. L. P. Jan's said:

"It was the best special issue ever published in our city and proves to consider what we are doing and can do as we have everything in our favor for a great city."

A. L. LASSITER,

Our famous architect, said:

"The Sun's estimate of Paducah, as stated in its Trade Review is in every way correct. The review was an enterprising project, most capably conducted, and I am glad to witness its success."

W. B. SMITH,

Vice president of Globe Bank and Trust Co.:

"The Sun has fully demonstrated the fact that it is an up-to-date newspaper, and in newsgetting, equipment and reliability is all a public could desire. The Trade Review reflects credit on The Sun's management, and fully shows who are the public-spirited citizens and who are the millstones. I am glad to be classed among the former."

POSTMASTER: FRANK M. FISHER:

"I consider The Sun's Trade Review most entertaining and handsome. Our people are willing to do their share toward building up Paducah, and a lively newspaper is an effective mouthpiece."

E. W. PRATT,

Of Pratt Coal Co.:

"The Trade Review is all right—all right. Mighty well gotten up and handsome."

M. E. W. SMITH,

President of Smith & Scott Tobacco Co.:

"The Sun is to be congratulated upon its handsome Trade edition. It was a big success."

CHARLES REED,

Of Palmer house:

"I am glad the edition was a great success. We need all the publicity we can get. We need more progress to keep the city to the front."

GROWS SMALLER

EVERY YEAR THERE IS A MARKED DECREASE IN VALENTINES SENT HERE.

The employees of the postoffice state that the number of valentines they handle grows smaller every year. Some of these men have worked in the Paducah office for many years, and state that the decrease during the past few years has been very perceptible, despite the increase in the size of the city and the growth in population and mail. The only reason they can assign is that the custom of sending valentines is being abandoned.

Miss Dora Lambert has gone to Cape Girardeau, Mo., on a visit to Miss Neva Middleworth.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bear the  
Signature of *Castor Fletcher*

### FEW EXPORTS

#### VERY LITTLE WHISKEY TO BE SENT AWAY.

There will be little whiskey exported this year, according to Louisville distillers. One is quoted as having said:

"Up to date there has been little or no goods sent from this country to European markets, and I see no prospects for any change of conditions. The whiskey usually sent to foreign markets is about seven or eight years old, but the local dealers find themselves with a very small supply of whiskey of this age. The product of '95 and '96 was very small, and as a result the whiskey desirable for exporting is not to be obtained in large quantities. Furthermore, there is a strong demand for whiskey in the local market; in fact, the demand is so great that the dealers can only with difficulty supply it."

"The condition existing now is an unusual one, for Kentucky has heretofore furnished a large amount of the export whiskies. Last year as much as 14,000 barrels of whiskey were exported, and of this amount Louisville furnished a large per cent. The existing state of affairs will probably remain unchanged for two or three years, after which time the export trade will begin to pick up."

### TRAGIC FATE.

#### PRIEST COULD NOT SEE HIS SWEETHEART ANOTHERS.

Paris, Feb. 16—Zola would have found ample material for a novel in the romantic story which recently took place near Toulouse.

Some time ago the priest, Valois, a handsome man, was appointed curate of the little village of Garhouse.

He lived with two old maiden aunts and his grandmother. One morning it was discovered that the young priest and a girl of 18 had disappeared.

Everywhere vain searches were made. At last the sacristan climbed up to the belfry, where he found the body of the priest by the side of that of the girl.

A revolver lay between them. Medical evidence proved that the priest had shot the girl and then committed suicide.

A letter was found in the priest's pocket stating that he had mistaken his vocation.

He preferred death to smiting the purity of the girl he loved, but he could not brook the thought that she should ever belong to another.

### MODERN CRUSOE.

#### THIS MAN LIVED IN A CAVE TO ESCAPE DETECTION.

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 16—George Tipton of Ruralville, Tenn., was arrested on the charge of murder after being hunted for nearly a year by officers of the law. Tipton and Horace Smollin ambushed and killed Moses Koller of Knoxville last May in Monroe county. Koller was shot for the purpose of robbery, but his horses took fright and ran away, leaving the dead body, which remained in the wagon, out of reach of the robbers. Smollin was captured soon after the crime and jailed, but Tipton escaped. Ever since the tragedy he has lived in a cave under his brother's house, where he was found today by Deputy United States Marshal H. O. Hart and posse. There was a reward of \$250 for Tipton, \$200 of which was offered by Gov. McMillin.

## She Is

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After Years of Heart Disease.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Cured Her.

"Five years ago my wife was a constant sufferer from weak heart and fainting spells that would cause her heart to flutter violently, leaving her in a very weak condition. She was extremely nervous, had little appetite, could not sleep well and was unable to do her household duties. She began the use of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, and after the first bottle I felt great relief. She used five bottles and I can say she is cured and enjoying the best of health. She goes out a great deal, does all her own work and she thinks all the credit belongs to Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, and we take pleasure in giving you this testimonial hoping it will be of benefit to others. I will add that I used the Restorative Nervine this spring as a spring tonic and made a new man of me."—S. C. STAPLTON, Greenville, Texas.

The heart when exhausted relaxes just as does any weakened or exhausted muscle, causing the circulation to wholly or partially cease, when the person becomes weak, or perhaps faint. Should the relaxation continue for a minute or two sudden death is the consequence. If you are weak, if it flutters, palpitates, tires easily, you should immediately begin the use of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. This great blood and heart tonic has been uniformly successful in the treatment of heart disease. It enriches the blood, strengthens the heart nerves, regulates the pulse and improves the circulation.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

### CURE

Jack Headlin and others all the time insist to bring about the cure of the system, such as Disease, Nausea, Giddiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

### SICK

Headache, Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in all complaints, including pain among the complaint while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

### HEAD

Another would be the best medicine in those who suffer from a distressing complaint, but particularly their goodness does not hold here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

### ACHE

As the base of so many lives that here to where we make our great boast. Our pills cure while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not grip or pull the bowels, and are easily digested when taken. In tablet 25 cents; Ave for \$1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or mail by mail.

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Makes a Queer Pedigree.

A headline writer on the News asserts that Nicholas Fish, who died from the effect of injuries received in a drunken brawl, "was the son of Groot's secretary of state and of Gothem's 400." This is a pedigree quite as remarkable as that of the Taylor pup in Eugene Field's ballad, which was "bred of such a noble sire and damned by every one."—Detroit Free Press.

### SKITTLES AND CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES.

Some time ago the customs authorities seized a box of skittles that arrived in Constantinople on the plea that the balls were hard and heavy and might be used as cannon balls, which would be exceedingly dangerous. It was not till one of the embassies had taken a lot of trouble that the balls were given up.

### Friday in History.

On Friday Shakespeare, Washington and Napoleon were born. Queen Victoria was married, the battles of Bunker Hill and New Orleans were fought, America was discovered, Moscow was burned, Richmond was evacuated, the Bastile was destroyed, the Mayflower arrived and the declaration of independence was signed.

### New Remedy for Dysentery.

Maj. W. J. Buchanan, prison inspector in Bengal, reports in the Lancet, on the treatment of 1,130 cases of dysentery by the use of sulphate of dydant in cinnamon or fennel water five or six times daily. Only nine deaths occurred, and in the last 272 cases none at all.

### Extreme Measure of Punishment.

For playing "heads and tails" for stakes of a farthing an apprentice named Paul Riedel has been sentenced to banishment from Austria. According to the Austrian law the uniform punishment for all games of chance including the game "heads and tails" is banishment.

### Cannot Learn His Lesson.

The envious announcement from the American embassy in England relative to explaining that the Bank of England is not forged with unclaimed estates awaiting remote American heirs has been duly made. But the rainbow chaser will keep on chasing just the same.

## Rudy, Phillips & Co.

### A FEAST and You are INVITED

All this week we are going to have a feast for you—one that will do you good to attend—our counters are piled high with good things, New, Bright and Snappy Styles in spring goods.

Look over our bill of fare and see if there is not something you want,

Vestings for waists, stripes, checks, dots and black and white, 75c and 85c a yard  
Lorraine Silks for waists, 32 inches wide, 85c a yard  
Corinthian Canvas, all colors, 25c a yard  
Embroidered Medallions, 3c to 15c each  
New Percales for shirts and waists, 12 1/2c a yard  
Nice line of ginghams for waists and underskirts 7 1/2c a yard  
New line of novelties in Belt Pins, Brooches and Beads for 25c

## Specials on Center Counter Linens

Bleached Linen, 68-inch, was 75c, at 60c  
Silver bleach, 68-inch, was 69c, at 50c  
Full bleached, 68-inch, was 59c, at 45c  
Genuine German Damask, 68-inch, was 50c, at 40c  
Red and Blue Damask 25c to 75c

### Flannel Waists

One lot Flannel waists, all we have left, sold as high as \$3.50, all sizes and colors, your choice for \$1.25

### Just Arrived

A large line of Silk Waists, very newest styles, from \$3.98 to \$5.00

## Carpet Specials for the Week

Quality counts when you buy a carpet, you can depend upon it that these have it, if they did not we would not have them in the house.

5 pieces of 25c carpet at 20 cents
5 " " 40c " " 30 "
3 " " 50c " " 50 "
4 " " 65c " " 57 1/2 "
3 pieces of Brussels was 60c at 50 cents
6 " " " 75c 65 "
6 " " " Velvet 85c 75 "
4 " " " \$1 " 90 "



As our usual custom to clean out odds and ends in heavy weight shoes, to make room for spring purchases, we inaugurate this week a cut price sale that will be interesting.  
\$2.50 buys Ralston health box calf  
\$3.00 buys Ralston health enamel calf, were \$4.00  
\$3.00 buys box calf Visclized soles, were \$4.00  
\$3.50 buys high cut bootee, regular value \$5.00  
\$4.00 buys the celebrated Cushion Ventilated sole, the heavy weights cheap at \$5.00  
\$2.50

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## DAILY THOUGHT.

"Don't you go an' git sorry for yerself. That's one thing I can't stand in nobody. There's always lots of other folks you kin be sorry for 'stid of yerself."—Mrs. Wiggs.

## THE WEATHER.

Cold wave for Kentucky. The temperature will fall rapidly until a point near zero is reached Tuesday.

## THE SUN'S CIRCULATION.

It is a rare thing that The Sun does any bragging about its "doings" but it is feeling so good over the way its circulation is growing, and has grown since fall, that it needs must say something about it.

The circulation of The Sun at present is over 2,200 copies a day.

Fifteen hundred and sixty of these go out in the city by The Sun's regular subscribers, 75 of them go to Brookport and Metropolis, 130 go out on the rural routes and the balance go out by mail to regular subscribers and advertisers and exchanges.

This is a circulation The Sun feels proud of. However it won't stop at these figures. The circulation is increasing with each day, and the hustling work that is doing it will be continued.

Advertisers can rest assured when they place an ad in The Sun that they can tell just how many people will see it. They can also rest assured that they can not get the same amount of circulation for their publicity that The Sun gives at the price The Sun makes.

It is a recognized fact among the leading merchants of the country that advertising is the motive power to business in this age—that it is absolutely essential. The Wauamakers, the Marshall Field's, the leaders in every city in mercantile lines, attribute their success to the money spent in advertising. The Beloomb merchants also appreciate the fact that advertising is the one thing that will play the most important part in the business of the future.

The point to this recital is: Advertise, and use The Sun when you advertise. No one in this day should have to be told to advertise, for advertising is the motive power to present day business, and is becoming more forceful—more essential each day. However one should know what mediums to use. In Paducah The Sun is undoubtedly one.

Those who go to Lordoo as a tribunal to settle the Alaskan boundary dispute are Secretary of War Root, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and George Tabor, all among the foremost men of America today. When the treaty was first submitted to the senate it provided for the appointment as members of the tribunal to fix the boundary line of a high court of jurisdiction, which is the usual form in the treaty phrasology of Great Britain. At the suggestion of members of the committee on foreign relations, the language was changed so that "impartial jurists of repute" could be appointed, and it is under this characterization that Messrs. Root, Lodge and Tabor have

been chosen. They will have the selection of an agent, who shall act as their counsel, and the case of the United States must be presented to the tribunal within two months after the exchange of treaty ratifications. The work of the tribunal will take its members to London for several months during the coming spring and summer. The compensation of the jurists and their agent and clerks is to be fixed hereafter by a joint committee. There are no more intelligent, fair and able men in the public service than those mentioned, and that they will satisfactorily represent the greatest country in the world goes without saying.

The success of the first year of the McKinley memorial fund amply attests the universal esteem in which our late president was held. Over \$500,000 was donated to the fund during the first year of the organization, and an effort is to be made to collect \$100,000 more. There should be encountered no difficulty in collecting many times that amount. The new plan is to secure the \$100,000 in \$1 subscriptions, souvenir certificates to be issued to each donor. The certificates will be distributed through the postoffices and department stores.

In Glasgow a man is sober so long as he can say "Shoes and socks shock Soson," says the Louisville Herald. In London he is not, drunk while he can utter distinctly "Truly rural," while in Chicago he is adjudged sober so long as he can lie on the floor without holding on. In Louisville he is sober till he shoots. Older towns are yet to be heard from.

Our Metropolitan contemporary on Fourth street printed the facts that The Sun received from General Manager J. F. Wallace, of the Illinois Central, in a special dispatch several days ago, in Sunday's issue, and credited it to a Memphis paper. Sometimes our slow "coach" contemporary has to go a long way from home to get news from home.

The Kentucky court of appeals has just rendered a decision compelling one of our coming metropolises to put hitching posts about the court house square for the benefit of our country cousin. We trust no one in Paducah will take up the matter in the courts of forcing the city to provide additional conveniences for the town now.

Four years ago Paducah was in the throes of a great blizzard. On February 13, the temperature, we find from the files, was 12 degrees below zero. Four years ago we also had a coal famine, and yesterday was the anniversary of the confiscation of a barge containing 15,000 bushels of coal by Meyer or Lang.

Most any of us could have offered to pay that \$300,000 for Venezuela if we had known our kind offer would be rejected. If Mr. Carnegie really wants to pay it, however, we are of the opinion that Venezuela will have no serious objection to it.

When we get our bladonuds it will indeed be a daring thief who will raid chicken roosts or rob a house. He is likely to wake up with a blood-hound nosing about his virtuous couch and have to go to jail on suspicion.

Chicago is having a hot fight over the technical construction of a statue under which a street railway franchise was granted in 1863. We really didn't think they were that slow in Chicago.

About the only sensible thing the late W. J. Bryan has done lately was to decide positively that he would not be defeated for president again.

The usual float talk is already heard on the streets, but there's plenty of time yet to get our rubber boots and sailboats.

They haven't yet begun running trains yet over the "out-of" that has so tickled our neighbors in Mayfield.

Telephones in United States. Taking the United States as a whole, the census shows that one person in every forty has a telephone. San Francisco leads the world in the generality of telephones; there one in twelve has a telephone.

Murders Common in Russia. Official statistics show that during the year 1901 no less than 8,681 murders were committed in European Russia. This gives an average of more than twenty murders a day.

THE LADIES PERFECT SPRAY SPRING  
For Sale at  
DUBOIS, KOLB & CO.

## PROSPECTS OF FLOOD

The Rain Seems to Have Been General.

River Over the Danger Line Here and Still Rising, But No Big Flood Is Probable.

## TOBACCO BEING MOVED TODAY

The outlook for a flood at Paducah has changed very much since Saturday. Some of the older rivermen now predict that there will be a very high stage of water, even if there is no overflow such as we have had once or twice in the history of the city.

The danger line was passed yesterday, and the gauge is now nearly a foot over it, with the river still rising.

The Mississippi is rising, which backs up the water at Cairo and prevents it from running out of the Ohio rapidly, and reports from above indicate that the Ohio, Tennessee and Cumberland are rising at present.

How long this will continue cannot be predicted, but it is believed that the cold weather will stop the rise and allow some of the water to run out before the snow and ice melt and let another large volume into the Ohio.

The rainfall here has been about three inches since Saturday, and it is understood the rain was general. The high stage of water is causing great inconvenience and suffering. Much corn and stock have to be moved from the lowlands by the farmers along the river banks, and in the city the effect is also keenly felt. It is now a very difficult matter to load the boats at the wharf on account of the lack of space.

Many of the smaller lamplights along the river bank are so badly submerged that the packets cannot land, which occasions great loss to steamboat owners in both passenger and freight business.

This morning the Western District Warehouse Co. has a large force of men at work moving 300 hogsheads of tobacco from their warehouses at First and Jefferson streets, and it is thought that it will all be safely out before the river reaches it. It was not moved before because it was not believed that it would be necessary.

Last night, however, it became evident that there is considerably more water to come, and men were at once put to work taking out the tobacco.

The rise here since Saturday has been a foot and a half, which is a very heavy rise for this stage of water. Owing to the fact that the river is out of its banks the water spreads over a vast area, and it requires a great deal of it to make a foot rise.

Conservative rivermen do not seem to think there will be anything like an '84 flood, but they seem to expect considerably more water.

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 16—Last bulletin gave fore cast of disturbance in cross continent February 16 to 20, warm wave 15 to 17, cool wave 18 to 20.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about February 22, cross west of Rockies by close of 23, great central valleys 24 to 26, eastern states 27.

I expect this to be a radical disturbance of large dimension and that it will pass along mid-latitudes affecting all of the North American continent. The temperature will go high about the time this storm center is on your meridian but the high temperature will be of short duration. The threatening day will be on meridian 90 about February 25 and will be of that peculiar kind that usually precedes a blizzard.

The term "threatening" which I use often may need some further explanations. If the storm center passes north of you it will cause hot weather and the cool wave following will not go to very low temperatures. If it passes south of you the warm wave will not go in very high degrees while the cool wave will go to lower temperatures than usual. If the storm center passes over you the warm wave will be very warm and the cool wave very cool.

Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about February 22, great central valleys 24, eastern states 26. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about February 26, great central valleys 27, eastern states 29.

Mrs. Lottie Barnham, of Ninth street, who has been threatened with pneumonia, is better today.

## THE POPE'S JUBILEE

Catholic Churches all Over the Country Celebrate Friday.

There Will Be High Mass at 8 O'clock and Other Appropriate Ceremonies.

## OTHER CHURCH NEWS

The jubilee of Pope Leo will be celebrated by Catholics all over the country next Friday, and every church will appropriately observe the occasion. High mass will be celebrated at 8 o'clock that morning in every church in the country.

The Rt. Rev. William George McElroy, Catholic bishop of Louisville, has issued a pastoral letter which was read in all the churches in the diocese yesterday calling attention to the observance of the jubilee of Pope Leo XIII.

Besides the religious exercises the bishop urges members of the various congregations to hold other appropriate celebrations in honor of the holy father's consecration as pope.

The 25th anniversary of the election of Pope Leo will be on February 20, and on that day a solemn votive mass will be celebrated at each of the churches in the diocese. At this mass the bishop recommends that prayers be offered up by the faithful that the life of the venerable pontiff be spared many years to come.

March 3 is the anniversary day on which the pope was consecrated and this event will be celebrated in the manner to be decided upon by the pastor and people of the several congregations.

Rev. J. C. Reid made a short talk at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon to a small crowd. His subject for yesterday's address was "The Fatal Mistake" but he did not take this subject and instead made a few remarks preparatory to going into his address.

Regular services were held in the churches yesterday, and the congregations were fairly large for the wretched day. Excellent sermons were delivered by the various ministers.

In the absence of Dr. W. E. Cave, a song and prayer service only was held at the First Presbyterian church.

The Ministerial association held a short meeting this morning with little business. The inclement weather prevented a large attendance. Nothing of importance was done.

## POLICE COURT.

Very Few Cases on the Docket This Morning.

Case Against Steamboat State Wins Continued Until Next Monday.

The weather seems to have had a perceptible effect on Judge Sanders' court, as the docket was unusually small today for Monday morning.

The case against El Martin, master of the Hottarff, for striking a colored servant, was partially heard and most of the evidence corroborates the master, who did not strike the negro until the latter drew a whip. Judge Sanders left the case open until next Monday and warrants for false swearing may be issued.

Orator Drane, who beat up a woman about 18 months ago and thought the officers had forgotten about it when he came back recently, was fined \$20 and costs.

Georgia Hammon, who works for Master Commissioner Gip Hashaud, was fined \$25 and costs and given 10 days in jail for carrying a pistol concealed.

John Haffey was fined \$1 for a plain drunk.

Ben and Will Vinson and J. D. Esch, for disorderly conduct in getting coal from a railroad yard, were given 20 days on the streets.

Dee Byard was given 30 days on the streets for vagrancy.

Joe Lang was dismissed on a charge of drunkenness.

## Prefer Boats to Houses.

Carrick, on the west coast of Ireland, is composed entirely of boats. There are large stone quarries nearby, but the inhabitants stoutly decline to have a proper house, on the ground that an inverted fishing-boat is more comfortable.

## IN THE NAME OF PHILANTHROPY

By O'Ryan O'Bryan

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friend, and with smiling faces they stopped to greet her. To their astonishment, she only gave a vicious little flick of an out of date orange colored working longing from her arm and walked by with averted face.

Not far behind her was another acquaintance from whom they received only a cold nod.

"What in the world! Do they think mother had the smallpox, or have the suns faded, or what is the matter?"

"Oh, look at that woman! I do believe she has Grandmother Dawson's white bell hat. I know there isn't another in town."

"And that one with the silk waist hanging out of a water pitcher? There must have been a rummage sale."

The horrid truth flashed upon both at the same instant.

"My old rose waist!" gasped Susan's mother.

"My grandmother's yellow water pitcher!" moaned Hepzibah's mother.

There was no question now. Every one past whose hurried steps led them here some half forgotten treasure soon only at housecleaning time.

They were women of fine sentiment, never willing to destroy anything about which fond memories could twine, and their large ancestral attics were filled to overflowing with what had significantly called "heaps of plunder," the accumulations of several generations of Dawson's, Elliams and Gaynor's and the reappings of many Christians' herests.

They rushed on, growing more and more sick at heart as they met here and there among the throng of friends who dwelt within the circle of Christians' giving. When they reached the lawn, out of the tumult of their souls rose a bubble of pride that, awful as it was, the girls had displayed their natural executive ability.

Under the Linden tree sat Hepzibah, the cashier, with a goodly pile of money before her. Patrolling the grounds and keeping an eye on each grubbing negro in charge of the heaps of goods, which had been carefully assort and classified and grouped around the trees, walked Susan's, the general manager.

The mothers had been too long under the yoke to make a scene, but as they walked from one ancestral tree to another and read the gorgeous phantasies tucked to the trunks their emotions were many and deep.

"Shoemakers' tools used by Great-grandfather Dawson."

"Infant's wardrobe of the Gaynor branch," mostly rags.

"Great-grandmother Elliam's wedding dishes," a most disreputable collection of pans and crockery ware.

"Great bargains in Christmas presents. Good as new; some never used."

At this dismaying stroke the Mothers Dawson fled each to her own house and wept behind closed blinds. "They will never forgive us!" they sobbed, "No wonder Mrs. Gaines didn't speak."

A sudden shower put an end to the scene. A little uneasy in fact some, the girls went to report results. When the interviewers were over, it was not the Mothers Dawson who came out with drooping heads. On the contrary, these emancipated ladies sped down the lawn and stuck labels in solemn compact under the Linden tree.

Miss Susan's mother, "Hereafter I'll be the boss of my own ranch."

"Same here," said Hepzibah's mother.

Then a flush of shame spread over their faces that even little children of 14 could see their mothers should let their daughters' influence.

## LOCAL LINES.

FOR DR. PENDLEY ring 416

BLANK deeds may be had at The Sun office when you need any.

WHITTEMORE—Real estate from price list, 510 Broadway, phone 258.

BLANK deeds may be had at The Sun office when you need any.

SEE the new \$10 phonographs at R. D. Clements & Co.

BLANK deeds may be had at The Sun office when you need any.

NICE LETTUCE at the Jake Bloderman Grocery and Baking Co. tomorrow morning.

MARRIED IN ILLINOIS—Robert F. Locker of Cadiz, Trigg county, Ky., and Mrs. Julia Crump of Cincinnati, O., were married Saturday at Belleville, Ill.

NICE LETTUCE at the Jake Bloderman Grocery and Baking Co. tomorrow morning.

LECTURE POSTPONED—The Chautauqua lecture, which was to have been given tonight by Frank A. Cattern, for the Y. M. C. A., has been postponed until March 2.

POSTOFFICE INSPECTOR HERE—Postoffice Inspector S. A. Smog of Cincinnati, who is assigned to this territory, is at the Palmer. He is on one of his regular trips.

JUSTICE HARBOR'S COURT—Justice R. J. Harber this morning called his docket for regular term of court. There are eighty-five cases on the docket. He will not begin trying cases before tomorrow or Wednesday.

M. JULIEN DUPERRIEU has established a tailoring, cleaning and repairing shop in the room formerly occupied by the late G. V. Robinson and will be pleased to have his friends call and see his spring line.

CHANGE IN GROCERY FIRM—Mr. Thomas Reid, a member of the Second street grocery firm of Bryant & Reid, has sold his interest to Messrs. Jacob and William Englert, of the 8th John's neighborhood, who have taken charge.

MATERIAL FOR THE LIBRARY—Contractor Wm. Karnes has received one car load of stone for the Carnegie Library, and another is on its way from Green river. Work will be resumed on the building as soon as the weather improves.

THE PALMER'S NEW STEWARD—Mr. Robert Brolant of New York has accepted the position of steward at the Palmer house. He has been in Texas for the past year, but previous to this held positions in many of the best hotels in the country.

STRAWBERRIES EARLY—For the first time in years strawberries arrived in Paducah in February. Yesterday there were a few here for 40 cents a quart and the sale seemed to be quite good. There was only a limited supply and they came from Florida.

ONLY ONE CASE—There is now only one case of mumps in the county jail, Pinckney Chilvers being the patient. There were at one time several cases and it was feared the malady would become epidemic, but the danger of this is now believed to be over.

NEW MANAGER ARRIVES—Mr. F. D. Dunau of Cleveland, O., is here to become manager of Kirby's department store, succeeding Mr. C. F. Barker, who resigned and returned to Providence, R. I. The new manager was formerly manager of the company's store at Williamsport, Pa.

TO REORGANIZE CAMP—A meeting of the Confederate Veterans is to be held tomorrow night at the city hall for the purpose of reorganizing the Lloyd Tilghman camp, which flourished here a few years ago. It is expected that there will be a large attendance.

TO REORGANIZE CLUB—it is understood that steps are being taken to reorganize the Kentucky club by issuing 300 shares at \$10 each for charter members, these shares to pay the first month's dues. All subsequent stock is to be \$20 a share, all money thus derived to be used in purchasing furniture, etc. Invitations to join have been sent out and the committee on organization is composed of Messrs. Cool Husband, Abe Well, T. H. Harrison, J. T. Reddick, Roy Culver, B. Weille, Joe L. Friedman, W. J. Hill, James Campbell, Jr., and W.

B. McPherson.

TAKE THE NEW TELEPHONE—The People's Independent Telephone company has been selected by the Merchants' association, the Retail Grocers' association and the Physician's, Dentists' and Bar associations to furnish exclusive telephone service. The company uses all long distance instruments, full metallic circuit, no party lines, and the latest improved switchboard; all of which will insure the highest speed, complete privacy and up-to-date service. Do not delay, but send in your subscriptions at once, as instruments are now being rapidly installed. All types of instruments on exhibition at the company's office, No. 118 South Fifth street.

## BLANKETS

Extra heavy brown blanket, weight 4 pounds for \$9 each.

Rudy, Phillips & Co.

### AMONG THE SICK

The condition of Captain John Carroll at the city hospital is unchanged.

The condition of Miss Sylvia Calissi is better. Her physicians think she will be able to be out within two weeks.

Mr. Al Atkinson of North Tenth street is ill.

Mrs. Howard Pleasant of South Eleventh street is ill.

Mr. Noah Cooley of the Benton road is ill.

Good Comforts Cheap

One lot of good low priced comforts to sell out quickly at 85¢ for 7x64 inch and \$1 for 72x64 inch.

Rudy, Phillips & Co.

### COUNTY COURT.

The motion of George Coleman for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Mary Coleman is set for Thursday in order that Graves county heirs may be represented if they desire.

John Craig has been appointed a deputy clerk for the county in order that persons may acknowledge papers without coming to the city.

### Blanket Sale

We offer a few pair extra quality grey blankets to close out at \$1.50 for 10x4, and \$2.00 for 11x4.

Rudy, Phillips & Co.

### NOTICE REBEKAHS.

Inglewood Rebekah Lodge No. 17, will meet tomorrow, Tuesday night, 7:30 o'clock, at the J. O. O. F. hall, 2111 Broadway and business of importance. KATIE HAZEN, N. G. MATTHEW WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Born, to the wife of Mr. John Flack of Third and Ohio streets yesterday morning, a fine boy baby.

Born, to Mrs. Mon Agnew of the South Side this morning, a fine ten pound boy baby.

Born, to the wife of Mr. Charlie Donker Saturday night, a boy baby.

### TO SEE THE WORLD

TWO BOYS REPORTED TO HAVE GONE AS FAR AS NEW YORK.

Willie Zeiss, who keeps office for Dr. Pendley, and Owen Batts, who keeps office for Dr. Winston, ran off Saturday night to see the world, but will probably be somewhat disengaged by the weather selected in which to make a start, and are expected home today.

The boys left Paducah Saturday night and were not heard from until yesterday, when they were located in Metropolis. Mr. William Batts, formerly assistant superintendent of the street railway company, is the father of the latter youth and will have the police in Metropolis arrest his boy if he is still in that city. The Zeiss youth lived with Dr. Pendley.

### NEW TICKET AGENT.

MR. MANION OFFERED AGENT SHEPHERD'S JOB.

Mr. C. G. Shepherd, who has been day ticket agent for the I. C. here, will leave tonight with his wife and child for Central City to take charge of the railroad agency there. Mr. John Manion, the night ticket agent here, has been appointed to succeed Mr. Shepherd here as day man, but will probably decline, as he prefers the night watch. No successor has been appointed yet.

## Social Notes and About People.

### CHORAL SOCIETY TO MEET.

The Choral Society will meet this evening at the First Christian church, and it is important that all the members should be present.

### TO MEET TOMORROW.

The women's committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the association building.

### SANS SOUCI CLUB.

Mrs. J. R. Dorris is entertaining the Santa Lucia girls this afternoon at her home on Jefferson street.

### TO ENTERTAIN.

Masters Spencer and Oscar Starks, Jr., will tomorrow night entertain their many friends at home.

### INFORMAL EVENING.

Miss Martha Leech entertains informally at cards this evening at her home on Madison street.

Mr. George Broadfoot of Paducah has returned home from New Albany, Ind., where he had been called to the bedside of his wife, who has been dangerously ill, but is reported better today.

Messrs. W. T. Canterbury, John L. Grayot, Bill Reed, George T. Harris, George W. Landrum and C. H. Wilson of Smithland were in the city yesterday and today.

Mrs. L. T. Conner of Louisville arrived last night to join her husband, who is clerk on the Batafford.

Mrs. Nannie M. Baker of Dixon, Ky., is at the Palmer.

Mr. Mat Carney of Chicago is in the city on a visit.

Miss Melyetta Friedman has gone to Louisville on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Moses Levy.

Miss Birdy Gilbert has gone to Benton on a visit.

Mrs. V. O. Swetman and grandchild have gone to Union City on a visit.

Mr. Henry Katterjohn and bride have returned from their bridal tour East.

Engineer Charles Johnson of the Harry Brown is here on a visit. He left his boat at Evansville and came by rail and will catch it here when it passes.

### CIRCUIT COURT

VERY LITTLE OF INTEREST AT TODAY'S SESSION.

The trial of the Holloman Machine Works against Ogilvie & Wiley only was taken up again this morning, and the conclusion will not come probably before tomorrow. The remainder of the evidence is being heard today and the lawyers will probably consume several hours in speaking. This case has been on trial for several days.

The case of Mrs. Loretta Tally, executrix, and others against the Mutual Life Insurance Co. has been set for trial next Monday.

The appealed case of Leo Walters against J. W. Liles was dismissed.

John Dipple, F. F. Gholson and E. L. Nagel were exonerated as petit jurors and John Householder, W. T. Hinson and W. W. Walker substituted.

A suit was this afternoon filed by Fannie Kilcoyne, atm., against Julian Duvitt and others, for settlement.

### KILLING IN ILLINOIS.

### NEGRO SHOT BACK OF BROOKPORT SATURDAY.

The police were this afternoon notified that Dave Simpson, a young negro living back of Brookport, was shot and killed in a quarrel with his brother Saturday night, but no particulars were received.

He is a brother to Elm Hopson, colored, who escaped from jail here several weeks since and caused Jailer Jones so much trouble.

### TODAY'S PUZZLE WINNERS.

The following are the winners:

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### NEW PAPER IN BENTON

MR. J. H. FORD PREPARING TO START A REPUBLICAN WEEKLY.

Mr. J. Hardin Ford, one of the best known attorneys in this section, and postmaster at Benton, Marion county, is contemplating starting a Republican weekly paper at Benton, and has been writing prominent Republicans of the district who are likely to take an interest in the project, and to meet with reasonable success.

Mr. Ford is a bright, popular man, and formerly practiced law in Paducah. He has many friends among all classes, and if he starts his paper, which it is believed he will, it is predicted that it will be a success. Mr. Ford is just the man to make it go, and will have the support and good wishes of all good Republicans in the district.

BLOODHOUNDS DUE.

THEY WERE EXPECTED IN THE CITY LAST NIGHT BUT HAVE NOT ARRIVED.

City Jailer Tom Eritis has not yet received his bloodhounds, which were shipped from Texas last Wednesday or Thursday. He supposes they are somewhere between Paducah and St. Louis, and has been looking for them since yesterday morning.

They will be kept in a place prepared for them back of the city hall, and are guaranteed to take a trail within 8 hours if it has not been destroyed. Chief of Police Collins angests that whenever it is desired to use them, people remain away from the scene of a crime, in order that the scent will not be destroyed.

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DEAD COMES TO LIFE.

Panama, Feb. 16—The announcement from Kingston, Jamaica, on February 8, that Gen. Uribe-Urabe had committed suicide, is untrue. It was Col. Roberts Uribe of Horner's army who took his own life.

His Reason for Retirement.  
The physician of Gov. George P. Melancon of Connecticut has advised him that it would be exceedingly impolitic for him to remain in public life after the close of his present term, and he has accordingly given out word that he will not be a candidate for a renomination. "I would run if I could," he lately wrote to a friend, "but the good Lord has ordered otherwise, and I am content."

CURED CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months; the doctors stated he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and it cured him. That was six years ago, and since then we always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds, it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1 bottle. Sold by DoBois, Kohn & Co.

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On first and third Tuesdays of each month the Cotton Belt Route will sell one way tickets from St. Louis, Thebes, Cairo and Memphis, to points in Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas, at half the one way rate plus \$2 or round trip tickets at one fare for the round trip plus \$2, allowing stop-over going, and 21 days return limit.

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"What happened?"

"It played the Dead March from 'Baloo'."—New York Times.

#### LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

Commencing February 15, and daily until April 30, 1903, the Illinois Central railroad company will sell one-way second class colonists' tickets from Paducah to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego and other points in California taking same rate, and also to Prescott and Phoenix, Arizona, and intermediate points, for \$31.40. Tourist sleeping cars on which these tickets will be honored pass through Paducah on train No. 103 at 3:42 a. m. every Wednesday and Saturday, running through to Los Angeles and San Francisco. Stop-overs allowed in California. For further information apply to J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.

#### ANOTHER PILGRIM MONUMENT.

There is to be one more monument to the Pilgrims. The Massachusetts legislature this year appropriated \$25,000 for a monument on the outer point of Cape Cod to commemorate the adoption of the Pilgrim compact of government. This was made contingent upon the contribution of an equal amount by the association on or before July 5, 1903. It is proposed to erect a rugged obelisk 200 feet high, placed upon an eminence on the outermost point of Cape Cod, where all passing at sea may see it.

#### MARDI GRAS, NEW ORLEANS.

On account of Mardi Gras, to be held at New Orleans from February 13 to 24, the Illinois Central railroad company will, on February 17 to 23, inclusive, sell round-trip tickets from Paducah at one fare, good returning until February 28, subject to extension to a date not later than March 14 by deposit of ticket with special agent not later than 8 p. m., February 28, and upon payment of fee of 50 cents additional. Stop-overs will be granted at certain points, providing passengers reach New Orleans not later than February 28. For further information apply to J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.

#### TO DESTROY THE MALARIAL GERM.

A remedy for malaria which is said to be very efficacious, particularly for those who cannot take quinine, is a wineglass of the best port wine upon which has been sprinkled as much cayenne pepper as the patient can stand. The preparation should be taken twice a day.

#### LOW RATES WEST

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### NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

#### THE STAGES.

Paducah, 40.8—1.7 rise.  
Cairo, 49.9—1.4 rise.  
Chattanooga, 12.8—2.5 fall.  
Cincinnati, 36.0—3.4 rise.  
Evansville, 35.4—3.6 fall.  
Florence, 14.6—1.5 fall.  
Johnsonville, 28.1—1.8 fall.  
Louisville, 12.7—0.6 fall.  
Mt. Carmel, 18.6—0.5 fall.  
Nashville, 25.9—4.3 rise.  
Pittsburg, 12.9—2.6 rise.  
Davis Island Dam, 12.8—2.6 rise.  
St. Louis, 10.7—1.3 fall.

River observations: Observations at 7 a. m. River 40.7, a rise of 1.5 feet in 48 hours. Weather cloudy and colder, with rain followed by snow. Rainfall in 48 hours, 3.14 inches. Temperature 19.

The Mary Michael arrived from the Mississippi river last night with a tow of timber.

The Woolfolk is due from Memphis today or tomorrow.

The Movie Bauer is due this week out of the Cumberland with ties.

The Clifton left yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Tennessee river.

The Savannah will leave Friday for Tennessee river.

The Clyde will arrive tonight or tomorrow out of Tennessee river.

The Dick Fowler departed on time for Cairo this morning.

The Joe Fowler left at 10 o'clock for Evansville this morning.

The Rector arrived last night from Cumberland and left at noon on her return trip.

The Avalon will leave today for Tennessee river.

The Bouanza and Sunshine are both at Cincinnati. The Bouanza will pass down this week but no orders have been received for the Sunshine.

#### THROUGH COAL HOLE

Novel Method Employed by a Thief to Steal.

Went Through the Cellar into Mr. John Dickey's Saloon on Second Street.

#### LEFT NO CLUE TO WORK ON

The Senate saloon, owned by Mr. J. W. Dickey, was broken into Sunday morning some time between the hours of 2:30 and daylight and \$10. two quarts of whiskey and some cigars were stolen.

Mr. Dickey had the window blinds up so that the public could see in and left them so when he closed the saloon. Upon entering the blinds were pulled down and his cash drawer had been broken open. An ice pick and butcher knife were used and the burglar evidently was acquainted with the house and the customs of the proprietor, as he knew where the money was and where to procure the tools he used.

Entrance was effected through the coal hole on the pavement, and once inside the cellar all necessary to obtain entrance to the saloon was to lift a trap door. One dollar in nickels was overlooked, but the \$10 in change, which had been placed under a goblet, was taken. The police have been investigating, but no clue has been secured.

It is the first case, according to Chief of Police Collins, in which the thief gained entrance by lifting the grating and going down a coal hole.

#### NEW BOILERS

ILLINOIS CENTRAL SHOPS ARE NOW USING THEM.

Yesterday the new boilers at the railroad shops were fired and are being used to day. The trimmings and connections were finished last week and the boilers put in condition for firing Saturday afternoon late.

There are two of the new boilers yet to be put in and while the shops are being run with the new boilers already in, the old boilers will be torn down.

BECKHAM WILL NOT SPEAK.

Frankfort, Feb. 16—Gov. Beckham will not open his campaign at Mt. Sterling to day, as announced. His opening speech will be made later and at some other point in the state.

### Theatrical Notes.

A more worthy tribute could not possibly be extended to a worthy woman, than that which has been extended to Mrs. Bruno by the mighty press of the country, when with one accord they have unanimously proclaimed her the greatest dramatic find of the year, endowed by nature with mentality, youth, beauty and talent. She is beyond doubt today one of the greatest actresses speaking the English language. This woman not only possesses beauty and talent of rare vintage, but marvelously expressive voice and eyes, and real power. She throws her whole soul into her acting and comes as near giving a true representation of the weird character that is painted in prose by that creative genius, Marion Crawford, as could perhaps be done. All the while she impresses you that she has wealth of reserve power that could be drawn upon at will. She gives you one instant the intensely active Indian witch; the next the gentle woman, tender and loving, indeed idealizing the object of her love. Jealousy, passion, nervous tension, love, hate, whole gamut of human emotion, this woman depicts, and gives it to you as your imagination has pictured it upon reading vivid word paintings.

### PLEASANT REUNION

Dr. Smith's Children and Grand Children Meet.

There Are Many of Them—First Gathering in Five Years.

Dr. J. D. Smith, of Ninth and Jefferson streets, yesterday had a family reunion at which many of his children and grandchildren were present. Dr. Smith is one of the best known doctors in the city, and has been a resident of Paducah for many years, enjoying a wide acquaintance.

The gathering yesterday was a very pleasant one, some of the children coming many hundred miles to be present at the reunion.

Dr. M. M. Smith, Whitesville, Tenn.; Prof. J. D. Smith, Jr., of Paducah; Ben Smith, Birmingham, Ala.; Dr. Julius Smith, Deport, Tex.; Wm. Thomas Smith, Lexington; J. Weightman Smith, San Francisco; Miss Bettie Smith, city. All the above were present except Dr. M. M. Smith, of Whitesville and Mr. Ben Smith, of Birmingham, who were detained by illness in the family. There are numerous grandchildren, Mr. Lothair Smith, of Louisville, being the only one present.

Among the many grandchildren are Lothair Smith, formerly of Paducah, but now of Louisville; Almonte Smith, Arkansas; Amber Smith, Los Angeles, Cal.; Lebert Smith, U. S. army, and Misses Estelle and Ollie Smith, of Whitesville, Tenn.

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